

United States District Court Northern District of Illinois
MOTION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAR PRO HAC VICE

Case Title:	Chicago Ornamental Iron, Inc., et al.	Plaintiff(s)
	VS.	
	Selective Insurance Company of America, et al.	Defendant(s)
Case Number: 1:25-cv-05131	Judge: Honorable Mary M. Rowland	

I, Michael Abrams hereby apply to the Court
under Local Rule 83.14 for permission to appear and participate in the above-entitled action on behalf of
Defendant AssuredPartners of Illinois, LLC by whom I have been retained.

I am a member in good standing and eligible to practice before the following courts:

Title of Court	Date Admitted
See attached.	

I have currently, or within the year preceding the date of this application, made pro hac vice applications to this Court in the following actions:

Case Number	Case Title	Date of Application (Granted or Denied)*
1:24-cv-05480	Federated Mut. Ins. Co. v. AssuredPartners of Illinois, et al	08/05/2024 (Granted)

*If denied, please explain: (Attach additional form if necessary)	N/A
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Has the applicant ever been:

censured, suspended, disbarred, or otherwise disciplined by any court?

Yes ☐

No ☒

or is the applicant currently the subject of an investigation of the applicant's professional conduct?

Yes ☐

No ☒

transferred to inactive status, voluntarily withdrawn, or resigned from the bar of any court?

Yes ☐

No ☒

denied admission to the bar of any court?

Yes ☐

No ☒

held in contempt of court?

Yes ☐

No ☒

NOTE: If the answer to *any* of the above questions is yes, please attach a brief description of the incident(s) and the applicant's current status before any court, or any agency thereof, where disciplinary sanctions were imposed, or where an investigation or investigations of the applicant's conduct may have been instituted.

I have read the Rules of Professional Conduct for the Northern District of Illinois and the Standards for Professional Conduct within the Seventh Federal Judicial Circuit, and will faithfully adhere to them. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

June 2, 2025

s/ Michael J. Abrams

Date

Electronic Signature of Applicant

Applicant's Name	Last Name Abrams		First Name Michael		Middle Name/Initial Jay
	Applicant's Law Firm Lathrop GPM LLP				
Applicant's Address	Street Address 2345 Grand Boulevard				Room/Suite Number Suite 2200
	City Kansas City	State MO	ZIP Code 64108	Work Phone Number and Email 816.460.5530 michael.abrams@lathropgpm.com	

(The pro hac vice admission fee is \$150.00 and shall be paid to the Clerk. No admission under Rule 83.14 is effective until such time as the fee has been paid.)

NOTE: Attorneys seeking to appear pro hac vice may wish to consider filing a petition for admission to the general bar of this Court. The fee for admission to the General Bar is \$181.00. The fee for pro hac vice admission is \$150.00. Admission to the general bar permits an attorney to practice before this Court. Pro hac vice admission entitles an attorney to appear in a particular case only. Application for such admission must be made in each case; and the admission fee must be paid in each case.

MICHAEL J. ABRAMS COURT ADMISSIONS

I am a member in good standing and eligible to practice before the following courts:

<u>COURT</u>	<u>DATE OF ADMISSION</u>	<u>BAR NUMBER</u>
Missouri state courts	09/27/1991	42196
U.S. District Court, Western District of Missouri	10/16/1991	
Kansas state courts	06/10/1992	15407
U.S. District Court, Kansas	06/10/1992	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 8th Circuit	08/26/1992	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 10th Circuit	07/21/2003	
U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Michigan	08/17/2006	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 3rd Circuit	05/06/2008	
U.S. Tax Court	12/28/2010	AM0323
U.S. Court of Federal Claims	11/20/2015	
U.S. District Court, District of North Dakota	05/09/2016	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 9th Circuit	06/27/2016	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit	05/02/2017	
U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Missouri	07/13/2017	42196MO
North Dakota state courts	04/16/2018	ND Bar ID# 08818
U.S. District Court, Central District of Illinois	10/11/2018	